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HANDSOME PLAY HOUSE NEARING COMPLETION—WILL OPEN FOUR WEEKS FROM LAST NIGHT—THE OPENING PLAY A FINE ONE.

R. E. Elvers, lessee and manager of the new Astoria theater, informed a reporter last evening that the new playhouse at the corner of Exchange and Twelfth streets was steadily approaching completion, and is being dispatched with the utmost care and good faith in the style and quality of its building.

The house is entirely framed up, enclosed and ready for the plasterers, the stage, the gallery, the stairways are all in statu quo, and the finishing work will begin this week. Mr. Elvers will leave for Portland in a few days to lay in the scenic supplies and other accessories and will make the installation on his return. He has already electrified the house for a thousand lights and his switch-board is a monument to his own personal skill. He will paint all the scenery for his house, being an artist in this line; in fact there is no phase of theatrical work in which he does not excel, having followed the business all his life on the hither side of the footlights, and in a pinch, might go on the boards and take his part, if he were hard pressed.

The house will be ready, in every detail for the initial production on the night of the 29th, to-wit, "The Royal Chef," and to give an idea of the character of the primary presentation, the following taken from the Eau Claire, Wis., Leader of a recent date, is reprinted here:

"The Royal Chef" is a success, that is, its excellent production at the Grand last night won from Eau Claire critics that eminent verdict. A large audience greeted their superb company and from the rise of the curtain until the conclusion of the final act, all was harmony. In one or two instances the parts may have dragged a bit, but these were overshadowed by the acts of the player, the splendor of the scenic effect, the unity of action, the glittering musical gaiety of the entire presentation.

"It is a humoresque of the Occident woven into the eccentricities of the Orient. The costumes are brilliant and costly; figures, well poised, lively and attractive; music, lyrical in composition and rendered with precision; scenery and illuminating effects pleasing in harmony and arrangement.

"The books and lyrics are by Stoddard and Taylor; music by Ben M. Jerome, staged by Gus Sobke. The case is strong. Heinrich Lemphauser, as 'The Royal Chef,' is splendidly funny. 'Princess Teto' is eloquent in costume. Her voice is good, so are the choruses. The 'Rajah of Oolong' is not a finished part, but on the whole, acceptable. Lord Mito is comfortable. Kitley 'O'Reilly,' 'Harry Parker,' and the 'Admiral Nobles' are mentionable.

"The life scene of 'The Drummer Boy of the Rappahannock' is one of the thrilling pictures of the play."

**Business is Good**—The American ship Henry Villard has been chartered by the Old Oregon Mills and is now en route to the Flavel piers. They have also under charter the schooners "Big Bonanza" and "Two Brothers" and the Yosemite is due at their docks on or about the 15th of the present month.

**It Honored**—At the meeting of the Pacific Coast Fire Chiefs' convention, held at Calgary, Alberta, this week, Chief Engineer Foster of this city was unanimously chosen to the office of vice president of the organization for the state of Oregon.

**An "Astorian" Relative**—Editor L. C. Ireland of the Moro Observer, and a son of Hon. D. C. Ireland, founder and first editor of the Morning Astorian, was a Regatta tourist here yesterday.

**Funeral Monday**—The funeral of the late William Haggblom, son of John Haggblom, will take place tomorrow afternoon from the family residence at 2 o'clock, Rev. Gustave Rydquist officiating. The interment will be in Greenwood cemetery.

**BEAUTY RULES OF THE BEAUTIES.**  
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**Married Yesterday**—Walter L. West of this city and Miss Clara Knapp of Knappa were married in the parlors of the Astor House at 3:30 o'clock p. m. on Saturday, Sept. 1, 1906, Rev. Wm. S. Gilbert officiating.

**Why don't you have your work done by us and we do house lining, wall papering, house and sign painting. We use and recommend the Heath & Milligan prepared paints. For over two score years it has been recognized as the standard paint of America. Come and let us figure with you. The Eastern Painting & Decorating Co., 365 Commercial street.** tf.

**HOEFLER'S HANDSOMEST SWEET SHOP**

**Regatta Aftermath**—If the "Astoria Twelfth Annual" did nothing else, it inspired half a dozen young people hereabout to couple up their lives and fortunes in the blissful state of matrimony, as witness the three following licenses issued in their behalf by County Clerk J. C. Clinton yesterday: Mr. Walter L. West and Miss Clara Knapp of Knappa; Mr. Charles Kirkkala and Miss Anna E. Kastell, of Astoria; Mr. John Peterson and Miss Anna Basel of Clatsop county.

As a dressing for sores, bruises and burns, Chamberlain's Salve is all that can be desired. It is soothing and healing in its effect. It allays the pain of a burn almost instantly. This salve is also a certain cure for chapped hands and diseases of the skin. Price, 25 cents. For sale by Frank Hart and leading druggists. sep

**Do It Tomorrow**—Prof. A. L. Clark, superintendent of the city schools, is very desirous that the young people who have been studying during the vacation period and want to be examined for promotions before the opening of the school year, shall report to him tomorrow, Monday, forenoon at his office in the city hall, so he may ascertain their wants and make preparation for their examination papers and the lists of questions to be propounded in that behalf.

**Mr. Carnahan Takes Hold**—In obedience to a telegraphic communication from Washington, advising him of the official approval of his bond as collector of customs for the port of Astoria and directing him to assume charge of the post, Clark W. Carnahan yesterday at 9 o'clock a. m., took over that office formally. The present staff will serve in the office and inspection departments without change.

**No Kicks Registered**—The county board of equalization closed its session at 5 o'clock yesterday evening with the agreeable record that no radical changes have been demanded in the assessment roll. The minor changes made for and against the official roll, enhance the values nearly \$2,000, instead of reducing the reported aggregate.

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**FOR THE FALL TERM.**

**Full List of Clatsop County Jurors Drawn Yesterday.**

Following is the full list of jurors drawn by the proper officers under the statute, for service at the coming term of the Hon. Circuit Court, which convenes here on the 17th of September, Judge T. A. McBride presiding:

Name	Residence	Occupation
John F. Christian	Astoria	Logger
James F. Gardine	Astoria	Allooman
Hans Christiansen	Astoria	Butcher
Wm. Madison	Astoria	Merchant
William Kelly	Astoria	Woodyard
Jacob Butt	Astoria	Laborer
D. Malagamba	Astoria	Merchant
Sam Lebeck	Seaside	Millman
Louis Knoblock	Seaside	Millman
J. P. Bain	Astoria	Contractor
Wm. Bell	Astoria	Carpenter
Joseph Alley	Astoria	Farmer
T. F. Laurin	Astoria	Merchant
Gus Gronnel	Elsie	Farmer
W. C. Hardie	Warrenton	Teamster
Sam Elmore	Astoria	Capitalist
Alfred Babbidge	Astoria	Engineer
J. P. Badollet	Astoria	Clerk
L. Mansur	Astoria	Capitalist
Wm. McKeever	Jewell	Farmer
Frank Bentilla	Astoria	Fisherman
F. E. Bastow	New Astoria	Teamster
Chas. J. Anderson	Astoria	Fisherman
Percy E. Allen	Elsie	Farmer
Gus Dolph	Olney	Farmer
C. F. McDermott	New Astoria	Laborer
X. C. Enevoldsen	Vesper	Farmer
W. R. Dean	Astoria	Farmer
Erik Hauke	Astoria	Merchant
John E. Logan	Seaside	Laborer
Robert McMath	Westport	Farmer

**BAND CONTEST.**

The person returning the largest number of Jose Vila cigar bands to the undersigned by October 15th will receive a box of 25c. Jose Vilas free to the next largest one box 12c. Jose Vilas. Save the bands. Victor Miller, corner Ninth and Bond streets. a-w-f.

**ABSCESS.**

ABSCESSSES, with few exceptions, are indicative of constipation or debility. W. H. Harrison, Cleveland, Miss., writes, Aug. 15, 1902: "I want to say a word of praise for Ballard's Snow Liniment. I stepped on a nail, which caused the cords of my leg to contract and an abscess to rise in my knee, and the doctor told me that I would have a stiff leg, so one day I went to J. F. Lord's drug store (who is now in Denver, Colo.). He recommended a bottle of Snow Liniment; I got a 50c size and it cured my leg. It is the best liniment in the world." Hart's Drug Store. sep

**TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.**

LOST—SOLID GOLD WATCH. HOWARD movement, \$50 reward; return to Savoy saloon. tf.

**BASEBALL TODAY**

**BROWNS vs PORTLAND MAROONS**

**On A. F. C. Grounds at 2:30 P. M.**

**Regatta Queen and Staff and Admiral and Staff Respectfully Invited to Attend.**

**YOU CAN'T AFFORD TO MISS IT**

**DECK AND DOCK NEWS.**

The British steamer collier Wellington crossed in last evening from Rainier, B. C., with a heavy cargo of coal for Portland. She went on to the metropolis without delay.

The Italian cruiser Dogalia left for Portland yesterday morning and carried with her the best wishes of all Astorians, for the manifold contributions she made to the pleasure and success of the great regatta. She will visit the metropolis for a week and then go to the Sound cities; but wherever she goes, she will live long and happily in the memories of the people here.

The tug Samson left out yesterday for Gray's Harbor, conveying some barges.

The steamer Telegraph came down yesterday with sixty people for Astoria and took away 160 homeward-bound regatta victors.

**ATTENTION, F. O. E.**

There will be no meeting of the Aerie this Sunday. Regular meeting takes place next Sunday, Sept. 9.

A. D. CRAIG, Worthy President.

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H. C. Thompson and wife to W. S. Chapman, fifteen lots at Seal Rock beach. \$1,000

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United States to Jonas Unbenau, patent 160 acres Section 31, T. 5, N. R. S W. 600

Jonas Unbenau and wife to K. H. Murts, 160 acres last above described. 600

C. F. Yurgen and wife to Mrs. M. M. Taylor, lots 5 and 6, block 2, in Pine Grove, Seaside. 600

Elk Creek & Cannon Beach Land Co. to Theresa Urfur, lot 8, block 12, Elk Creek Park. 75

Same to James Lugg, lots 3 and 4, block 11, Elk Creek Park. 150

Same to F. G. Urfur, lots 1 and 2, block 11, Elk Creek Park. 150

Same to J. A. Urfur, lot 3, block 7, Elk Creek Park. 75

Sam to O. R. Urfur, lot 14, block 7, in Elk Creek Park. 75

Same to A. Kline, lot 8, block 8, Elk Creek Park. 75

Same to J. Kline, lot 8, block 9, Elk Creek Park. 75

Same to H. L. Coulter, lot 9, block 9, Elk Creek Park. 75

**SPECIAL ROUND TRIP.**

Excursion rate for Labor Day celebration, at Portland, Ore., September 3. The A. & C. R. R. will sell special round trip excursion tickets from Astoria to Portland and return on September 2nd and 3rd, at rate of \$2.70, tickets good to return up to and including September 4th. 8-25-0t.